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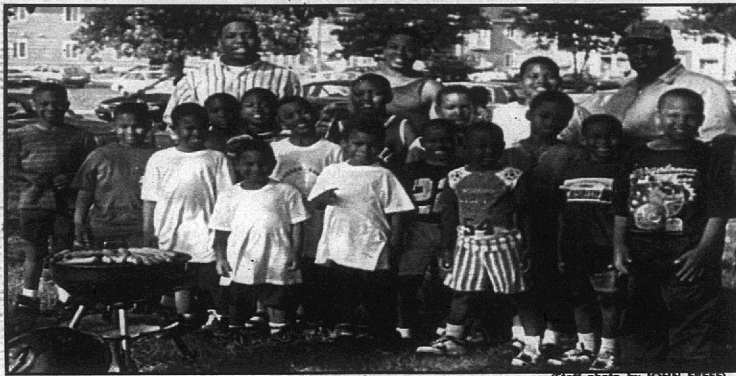
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New pack — Posing with their new Cub Scout leaders are a group of boys who came to a cookout to organize a Scout pack at the Bissell Street Apartments in Venice. Leaders, from left in back, are Reggie Strode, David Burks and Elwood Glasper, Venice Cub Scout Pack #1 program chairman. More than 16 boys signed up.

Township targeted

Partney plans drive for elimination

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

David Partney says he was shocked when he received his property tax bill a couple of weeks ago.

Partney, who has announced his intention to run for mayor of Granite City next April, said he is initiating a petition drive to eliminate Granite City Township government.

"I think this will be popular with the taxpayers, if they look at their property tax bill and see how much

they pay to township government," Partney said. "It's time we give something back to the people."

Partney said he will try to obtain enough signatures on petitions to put a referendum on the November general election ballot asking Granite City voters to eliminate township government.

In 1994, the last time an attempt was made in Illinois to eliminate township government, a countywide referendum was defeated by a 3-1 margin in

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David Partney

Domestic violence court is proposed

Madison County's top prosecutor is hoping to centralize enforcement of domestic violence cases by establishing a specialized court system.

State's Attorney William Haine and about 350 other prosecutors, police officers, social workers, attorneys, judges and other officials gathered at Holiday Inn in Collinsville Tuesday for a symposium on family violence.

Haine said he plans to follow up the symposium with discus-

sions about implementing a domestic violence court in Edwardsville.

"It's difficult to achieve uniformity with these cases. My office has no control over the filing of charges; most are filed by the police departments, since they're misdemeanors," Haine said. "Centralization of the court system would assist my office and the police."

Haine said domestic violence cases are currently tried at courts across the county.

At the symposium, officials discussed various methods of enforcement and prosecution.

A San Diego prosecutor told the group that testimony of a

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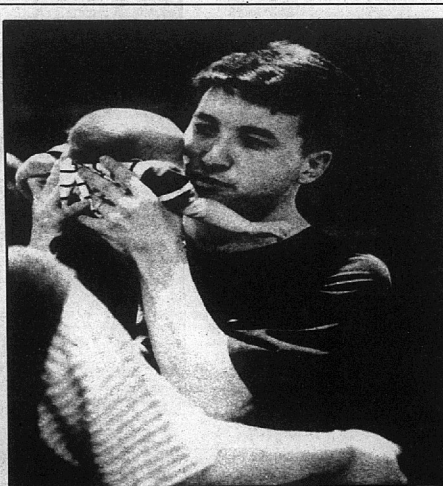
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John Fuller, Chief Meteorologist, KSDK-News Channel 5

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(Staff photo by SCOTT COUSINS)

Specialist Allen Ridgway of Edwardsville says goodbye to his 17-day-old son, Zachary, at Lambert-St. Louis International Airport.

Illinois 162 to close Tuesday

The Illinois Department of Transportation has announced that Illinois 162 will be closed at the Alton & Southern railroad tracks near Granite City at 9 a.m. Tuesday. The closure is expected to last about six hours while railroad workers reconstruct the crossing to provide a smoother, safer intersection. Through traffic will be detoured over Maryville Road, Pontoon Road and Illinois 111. Signs will be posted.

Madison aims at trash bills

400 property owners delinquent by \$105,000

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

For most people, paying the bill for garbage collection is a simple task, but it has apparently proven too difficult for almost 400 property owners in the city of Madison.

The city — with approximately \$105,000 in overdue garbage collection bills — has decided to take action.

At Tuesday's meeting the council ordered City Attorney Casper Nighohossian to begin filing liens against property owners with overdue bills of more than \$100.

The council also authorized the publication of the list in a local newspaper.

Alderman John Hamm, chairman of the council's Finance Committee, said that approximately 388 of 2,139 customer's receiving garbage service owe more than \$100. He said most of those are absentee landlords. One company owes almost \$8,500.

He said Nighohossian has taken some nonpayers to court, but "the number is

growing and we had to do something." When a lien is filed, it must be paid before the property can be sold.

The council also approved an ordinance increasing the cost of yard sale permits to \$5 from \$2.

Under the ordinance, a family would be allowed four three-day yard sales in a year — one in each quarter. For multifamily sales, each family participating must obtain a permit. No Sunday sales are permitted.

It also allows a yard sale that is canceled because of inclement weather to be held on the next good weather day. If a family waits, a new permit for the remaining days will be issued at no cost.

The ordinance was originally brought to the council in early May, but was sent back for revision after aldermen said it wasn't specific enough.

The focus of the ordinance was to increase the permit fee to \$5 from \$2 at the request of city workers, who said the original fee didn't even pay for the paperwork involved in issuing a permit.

Jail cells bid is approved

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

A single bid for four jail cells in the new Madison City Hall was approved by the City Council at Tuesday's meeting.

The only bid came from Colby Equipment Co. of Indianapolis. The bid was opened at the meeting, and approved after the total cost of the

base bid and several options was tabulated.

The total cost is \$63,580. The new city hall will have four cells, each with two bunks. Two of the cells will have privacy partitions for female prisoners.

Alderman John Hamm, chairman of the Finance Committee, said the bid had to be approved that evening to keep on schedule. If everything goes as

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Reserve unit off to Bosnia

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

For U.S. Army Specialist Allen Ridgway of Edwardsville, it was a bad time to leave his wife and newborn son.

Ridgway is one of 25 members of the 37th Engineer Platoon, an Army Reserve firefighting unit based at the Charles Melvin Price Support Center in Granite City, that left Lambert-St. Louis International Airport Friday morning for eventual deployment in Bosnia as part of Operation Joint Endeavor.

The platoon is part of the 88th Regional Support Command. The unit — along with about a dozen other Army reservists from Kansas — will take over for another U.S. Army firefighting unit that is ending its tour as part of the peacekeeping force.

The 37th had been scheduled to leave the day before, but was delayed because of a ticketing mix-up.

At the airport, reservists said goodbye to family and friends, many of whom stayed to watch the plane taxi out of the terminal.

Ridgway spent most of his time at the airport holding his son.

"I don't feel too good," he said while holding his 17-day-old son, Zachary.

One of the last members of the unit to be notified about the deployment, Ridgway said he found out about it just three days earlier.

"I had to drop all my classes," he said. Others had a more positive outlook, including Specialist Scott Powell Jr. of East St. Louis.

"Most of the guys feel pretty good," he said. "The families are pretty torn up about it."

Powell said arranging wills and power of attorney is one of

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BOX:Do you have a local
hero?

By SHIRLEY VALENCIA



Billie Hoppe Granite City
"My dad, because he takes me riding on his motorcycle, and he got me my own."



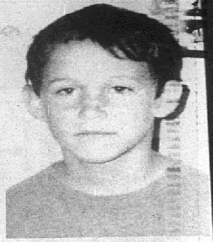
Ashley Oberhaus Granite City
"It's my sister because she helps me and plays with me. We do laundry for our mom. She is only 4 years old."



Ronnie Haywood Granite City
"My dad is because he understands me."



Jessica Miles Granite City
"My mom because she helps me with my homework and stuff. She takes me places, and she lets me do a lot of things I want to."



Chris King Granite City
"My friend. He's only 7, and it's because he's my best friend."

Hate crime
charge
filed here

A 36-year-old Granite City man was charged with a hate crime Wednesday for allegedly assaulting three people with a guitar.

Glendon F. Jackson Jr., of the 2200 block of Washington Avenue, who is white, was charged with the felony for allegedly swinging a guitar at three persons, all black, in front of his home just before midnight Tuesday night.

Bond on the warrant is \$10,000.

Police Chief Dave Ruebhausen said Jackson yelled a racial slur when assaulting the trio with the instrument.

Blood drive set
for Tuesday

A local blood drive is planned for 3 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church, 2184 Vadalabene in Maryville.

Area blood supplies remain low. By donating now, you can make sure blood is constantly available for hospital patients.

All blood types are needed, but type O is particularly needed.

If you don't know your blood type, you can find out by donating blood. After the drive, Red Cross will send you a card with your blood type on it. The card will list the number of times you have given blood in the past and will expedite future blood donations.

For more information about this or other drives in your area, call American Red Cross at 1-800-GIVE-LIFE.

Stroke support
group to meet

A Stroke Support Group, designed for persons who have suffered a stroke and their family or care-givers, will meet at 6:30 p.m. July 10.

The meeting will be in the President's Room, located on the ground floor, inside Bonaventure's Cafeteria, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 2100 Madison Ave. in Granite City.

If you cannot attend this meeting and would like information on the group, call SEMC's Patient Care Coordinator at 798-3018.

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(Staff photo by SCOTT COUSINS)
An unidentified Army Reserve member says goodbye at Lambert-St. Louis International Airport.

•Unit

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the hardest tasks to face, although he said he is not overly concerned about the dangers.

"There's always a danger when there is a conflict," he said.

Powell was also a member of the unit when it deployed to Saudi Arabia for Operation Desert Storm.

"This might be worse than Desert Storm," he said. "In Saudi we were always ready."

In the event of danger, he said, unit members would be quick to drop their firefighting equipment and pick up their weapons.

"We are going to protect ourselves," he said.

Pfc. Jay Milner of Mascoutah — a member of the unit for 2½ years — was also philosophical about the deployment.

"We signed the papers; it's another job to do," he said.

Unit commander Capt. Rocky Franklin of Macomb said members were ready to do whatever they were asked.

"That's what we're expected to do," he said.

Franklin said members were also getting to know the other reservists from Kansas, including the group's senior enlisted man, 1st Sgt. Harold Pribble of Nebraska.

A former Green Beret and Vietnam vet, Pribble said he was looking forward to the deployment.

The first stop was to be their mobilization station — Fort Dix, New Jersey. Frank Tucker, a public affairs officer for the 102nd U.S. Army Reserve Command, said at Fort Dix unit members will undergo final training in weapons and mine awareness and safety.

The group was expected to spend several days there, and then go to Germany and eventually Bosnia, although Tucker said they were not sure of the exact final destination.

The unit is scheduled to be on active duty up to 270 days.

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Pilot gave no sign of
trouble prior to crash

ROSEWOOD HEIGHTS — Dozens of people watched in horror Wednesday as an F/A-18C jet fighter crashed into a garage during aerobatic maneuvers, killing the pilot.

McDonnell Douglas test pilot Jeff "Crutch" Crutchfield of St. Charles, Mo., was unable to pull out of an inverted dive and crashed about a half-mile from a runway at St. Louis Regional Airport in Bethalto.

There were no other injuries in the crash, which occurred at 2:48 p.m. Witnesses said the plane sheared off trees and power lines before smashing into the garage of a home at 516 Bender Ave. The plane exploded in a patch of trees.

Joe Valdes, 45, was horrified when he saw the jet crash near his backyard.

"I heard a noise like a sonic boom," said Valdes, who lives at 414 Kennedy Street. "I saw the jet come crashing through the trees. There was a ball of fire and pieces of the jet were flying everywhere around me."

A McDonnell Douglas official said Crutchfield, 44, was testing the aircraft for an air show next week in Europe.

The pilot's wife and two children stood at the airport to watch him take off and fly across Bethalto, police dispatcher Timothy Fulcher, who was standing near the family, said.

They watched as Crutchfield steered the jet straight into the sky and turned into a full loop over the airport.

"The pilot turned over to do an inverted loop," Fulcher said. When he came out of the loop he went straight into the ground."

The family watched in horror as "a mushroom cloud of smoke" floated in the air from the burning jet, Fulcher said.

"The pilot's wife was hysterical. She fell to her knees and cried out: 'He's dead,'" said Fulcher, who drove to the crash site to help. Crutchfield could have

ejected from the plane but he stayed with the jet and steered it into the woods, Fulcher said, adding, "He sacrificed his life."

Crutchfield gave no indication to air traffic controllers that he was going crash.

"There was no indication or contact that he had any problems," St. Louis Regional Airport air traffic controller Shawn Knight of Alton said.

Crutchfield was on his third fighter flight of the day. While he gave no indication of his impending doom, controllers had been in contact with him.

"It's a control zone — any plane within five miles has to talk to us," Knight said.

Officials from the Federal Aviation Administration were on the scene within an hour of the crash. Two of them went to the St. Louis Regional tower to get an audio tape of the communication between the tower and the pilot.

"There is a tape going into the investigation package,"

Knight said. "They did a briefcase here — the accident investigator listened to the tape."

Ferry Bush of Bush Heating and Cooling had just finished a repair job at Country Fair food store, 72 Airport Plaza, and was driving past the airport on Illinois Route 111 when he saw the crash.

"He just got her about level, got her nose up about 10 or 15 degrees and then just plummeted straight down," Bush said. "He had no forward momentum at all. He crashed tail first and had the nose up trying to gain elevation. There was a pretty good sized fire ball and then quite a bit of smoke."

"It stayed pretty much together until it hit the garage, which was about 25 yards away from where it crashed. It looked like it exploded after it hit the garage."

"There was debris in an area about 60 yards circle."

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Strife continues between two council forces

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Pontoon Beach Mayor Glen Wilson said he plans to veto several measures approved at the last board meeting, including a proposal to seek an outside investigation of past and present village offices.

Trustee Mike Macek said little has been done so far, but that the investigation would go on regardless of the mayor's action.

Village Attorney Keith Jensen said Wednesday he wanted to meet with trustees to determine the scope of the investigation, who would perform it and exactly what they wanted to accomplish.

"I have to sit down with them," he said. "I don't know what they're looking for."

At its June 11 meeting, the board approved asking an outside agency to investigate past and present village clerk, treasurer, building inspector's offices and the police department.

"We want to make sure the past village officials performed, as well as the present," said Macek, who served as mayor pro tem in Wilson's absence. "Basically we're asking for a

clean bill of health or tell us what's wrong so we can talk to these people or go after their bond."

"I'm not saying anything is done wrong in any department, but it's time that we quit fighting," he said.

"We've got to do what we're supposed to do. In order to do that we have to have these investigations."

Wilson said Thursday he would probably veto the measure. "I don't know where they're coming from and I don't care," he said.

Wilson said Macek took advantage of his absence to pass the measure.

When asked after the meeting about the timing of the action, Macek said: "I guess quite honestly it's a time this board can talk on."

"I think we got a lot accomplished tonight," he said. "We've been thinking about doing this for a long time. Finally with everything that's happening, it came to a head."

Those problems include disputes with the Internal Revenue Service and the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and continued strife between village officials.

Macek said he was unsure about either cost or a time frame for the investigations, but said it would happen some time soon.

Madison offers jobs for summer

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Madison aldermen will be looking for youths to work for the Street Department this summer.

At Tuesday's City Council meeting, the council approved hiring up to 12 youths to cut weeds and other similar chores in the city. The workers will be picked by aldermen, three from each ward.

The program was suggested by Alderman Norris Horton. The youths will be paid \$5 per hour for approximately 25-30 hours per week under the supervision of Health Inspector George Amisch.

It's summer and we have a tremendous weed problem all over the city," Horton said. "The Street Department is overextended; they can't seem to get around to abating the problem. This gives the city a chance to employ some of the youths and meet some of our obligations."

Interested youths should contact their alderman.

Horton proposed the job program after a number of discussions about weeds and similar problems at Tuesday's meeting.

Amisch said he had recently went to a seminar on mosquito control; the most effective way to eliminate mosquitoes is to remove nesting sites, such as tires, weed fields and aban-

In a related matter, the council approved six resolutions for the demolition of unsafe buildings.

Addresses of buildings to be demolished are 921 and 922 Jefferson St., 1412 Third St., 1427 Third St., 1601-1603 Fourth St. and 1816 Fourth St.

In other business Alderman John Hamm said the Finance Committee would be meeting at 6 p.m. Wednesday to discuss the appropriations ordinance, the pay ordinance, and back pay for vacation time for some city employees.

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Preschool registration open

Registration for the 1996-97 Granite City Park District Preschool Program will be held June 24-26 at the Wilson Park office for park residents.

Additional residents and non-residents may register beginning June 27 until classes are filled.

The cost for the beginning of the school year is \$95 for residents and \$125 for non-residents. This fee covers supplies and daily refreshments throughout the year.

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This is one of the park district's most popular programs, and the classes fill quickly. Everyone is encouraged to register early.

Scholarship probe will continue

An independent investigator will continue to look into the release of names of legislative scholarship winners at SIUC, even though the Legislature recently voted to make the winners' names public.

After more than a month, former federal prosecutor Frederick Hess of Belleville continues to investigate how names of students receiving legislative scholarships to Southern Illinois University at Carbondale were released.

Hess, who charges \$200 per hour, was hired by the university last month after the Associated Press obtained copies of legislative tuition waiver forms with names that were legible despite efforts to black them out.

Hess' hourly rate does not include additional expenses for an associate and legal investigator. The university also will incur costs from work done by internal auditors.

The Legislature last month approved a bill to make the names of scholarship winners known, but SIU President Ted Sanders said Hess' investigation is needed to help the university handle future Freedom of Information Act requests.

"If this failure was about student grades, ACT scores or health records, it would have a different twist today. I expect to search out and find any and all failures in the system and in the humans," he said.

"I want to fix what is identified so we don't accidentally release privileged data. It is

extremely important so the U.S. Department of Education (does not find) us in a breach of privacy of the Buckley Act. We could lose all of our federal funding," he said.

Sanders said Hess' work is taking longer than expected. He said findings may not be ready until July because he and Hess have had trouble coordinating their schedules to set a meeting. Sanders said Hess has not been working on the inquiry full time since May and that until Hess' work is

completed, he will not know what the probe will cost.

He said he does not know how much has been spent to date, but defended his use of an outside attorney.

"It is such a specialized, volatile issue. I wanted to make sure someone independent was conducting interviews. I did not want the findings compromised at all by relationships. I wanted a clear, objective set of conclusions."

He said the university will continue to protect names of

scholarship winners until told otherwise.

A Cook County judge Tuesday ordered state schools to release the information, but lawmakers and school officials have so far been reluctant to do so. The University of Illinois plans to appeal the ruling.

"We have no authority to ask students to sign a waiver. We have to protect those names unless the court rules differently," Sanders said.

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Where Beautiful Things Begin

Continuing where we left off last Wednesday, here are the harvest times of various vegetables. Follow these tips and you'll reap the maximum reward of growing your own.

Onions. When the tops start to turn yellow, break them off. Dig onion bulbs after the tops have dried, and leave them outside for a day or two to dry. Then place them in a warm, dry, well-ventilated area for 2 weeks to cure. Finally, store the onion bulbs in a cool, moderately moist and well-ventilated area. Pick green onions when they reach an edible size.

Parasols. Dig roots after cool weather has enhanced their flavor, or supply mulch after the ground freezes and harvest roots in the spring before new growth begins.

Peas, Green. Pick when the pods become full and seeds are large enough to easily shell.

Peppers. Pick as soon as they become an edible size. Some, not all, can be left on the bush to completely ripen. Most become yellow or red at maturity, harvest them often, so more will continue to form.

Potato. Starting about 2 feet from the plant's center, dig up tubers using a spading fork. Harvest a few small potatoes early, and dig the main crop after the top growth has died. Allow the spuds to dry using a spading fork. Harvest a few small potatoes early, and dig the main crop after the top growth has died. Allow the spuds to dry using a spading fork.

Pumpkin. Pick once they develop a hard skin and solid color; harvest them before a severe frost.

Radish. Pull roots at various stages to make room for the remaining ones.

Rhubarb. Remove stems after the roots have been in the ground 2 years. Cut off stalks and remove leaves. **CAUTION: Do not eat rhubarb leaves!**

Rutabaga. Dig roots before the ground freezes. Mulch and store rutabaga roots in the ground.

Scallions. Pick when they reach an edible size.

Spinach. Pick outer leaves or cut the entire plant off about 3 to 4 inches above the ground. The remaining stub may form additional sprouts.

Squash, Summer and Zucchini. Pick summer squash while it is

immature and tender, usually 2 to 4 inches long. Keep squash picked to encourage additional ones to form.

Squash, Winter. Before frost occurs, harvest winter squash, leaving a 3-inch stem attached to the fruit; ripe squash are solidly colored and have hard rinds. After curing squash in a warm area for several days, store them at 55 to 60°F.

Swiss Chard. When they are 8 inches high, remove outer stalks 1 1/2 inches from the ground; harvest entire plants once they reach 12 inches.

Overgrown Swiss Chard becomes tough and lacks flavor.

Tomatoes. Pick when they are solidly colored and easily separate from the stem. Harvest tomatoes before they become soft. Store at 45-50°F; tomatoes will keep for one to two weeks.

Turnip, Spring Harvest. Dig roots when they reach 2 to 4 inches in diameter.

Fall Harvest. Snip off greens to 3-4 inches and mulch in the ground; dig roots as needed until the ground completely freezes.

Watermelon. Pick watermelons when the vine's tendrils that are nearest to the melon turn brown and dry, and the bottom of the melon becomes yellow. The melon will respond with a dull thud when it is rapped on with knuckles.

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Funding cut for Victims First
State coalition also puts local agency on probation

Sexual Assault Victims First, under fire for nepotism and high staff turnover, has been given only a quarter of its annual state funding and has been put on probation. The governing body of the Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Abuse unanimously and without discussion agreed to its executive committee's recommendation that the agency be funded only through September. The action was taken June 14.

The Collinsville-based agency, which is charged with helping sexual assault victims for all of Madison County, received \$27,506 in state money through September. Similar

agencies around the state were approved for a full year's funding.

Last year, the coalition granted Sexual Assault Victims First about \$100,000 in funding. The agency relies almost completely on the state for its operating funds.

The agency agreed earlier this month to make changes on its board and adopt policies to address grievances. Its compliance will be evaluated during a visit in August, coalition executive director Polly Poshin said.

But Maggie Corbin of Glen Carbon, a former advocacy coordinator for Sexual Assault Victims First, charged that the

coalition ignored many of the abuses and problems at the agency. Funding should have been terminated, she said.

Corbin and former agency executive director Susan Stich of Alton, who were fired by the agency's board in February, filed complaints with the coalition.

"The people at ICASA have known of all these complaints and grievances for a long time and they haven't done anything," Corbin said, adding that she believed the only reason any action was taken was because of reporting by The Telegraph.

Cindi Presson of Collinsville, the agency's board president,

said, "We currently meet the ICASA regulations and will continue to do so in August. We think ICASA has been very thorough in their scrutiny and we're very satisfied with the way this has been resolved."

Poshin provided a one-page summary of Sexual Assault Victims First's response to the grievances, which the state coalition has been investigating since February. It says Victims First has "satisfactorily addressed the issues set forth in the grievance."

Among the charges were nepotism — specifically, when board member Rene Bauer of Alton voted for her cousin, Presson, to become president or chairwoman. Poshin said any conflict was ended by Bauer's recent resignation from the board.

However, Corbin and Frankie Graham of Troy, a former volunteer who was also fired by the agency's board in February, questioned why the state coalition did not address the fact that Pam Klein, an aunt of Presson, was formerly retained as a paid consultant to the agency.

Poshin would say only that "no financial conflicts were found." The agency has been operating for less than two years but has had four executive directors and frequent staff turnover. It was formed after the state coalition stripped the Rape and Sexual Abuse Care Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville of most of its state money. The SIUC center had provided counseling and advocacy for rape and sexual abuse victims for 17 years.

Klein was the original director of the SIUC center and was heavily involved behind the scenes in starting Sexual Assault Victims First. Presson at first refused to identify board members but then said the three new members are Terry Signorello of Edwardsville, Earleen Garclay of Collinsville and Dr. Tina Gingrich of Maryville.

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Obituaries

Anna Brimm

Anna L. (Strauss) Brimm, 61, of Granite City died at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 19, 1996, in the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a heart attack.

Born Jan. 8, 1935, in Milwaukee, she had been a resident of Granite City for 30 years. A homemaker, she was a member of Bethel Chapel in Granite City.

Survivors include her husband, James Brimm, whom she married Dec. 29, 1976, in Granite City; two sons, Michael and Ronald Baker, both of Granite City; three daughters, Shirley Creek, Jeanne Baker and Cindy Upadun, all of Granite City; two stepsons, James Snyder of San Diego and John Snyder of Pittsburgh; four brothers, Gerhard and James Strauss, both of Milwaukee; Max Strauss of Phoenix, Ariz.; and Herbert Strauss of Florida; one sister, Mary Abrahamson of Milwaukee; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Max and Anna Strauss.

Services were held Saturday at Bethel Chapel in Granite City with the Rev. Leon Dietz officiating. Burial was in Fairview Memorial Gardens in Fairview Heights.

Arrangements were handled by Thomas Memorial Mortuary in Granite City.

Aleene Robertson

Aleene M. (Anderson) Robertson, 79, of Madison died at 12:15 p.m. Friday, June 21, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a three-year illness.

Born in Steelville, Mo., she had been a resident of the local area for 50 years. A homemaker, she was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include one son, Gene Robertson of Madison; one daughter, Janet Cowley of Granite City; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Arthur and Zoe (Waites) Anderson.

Visitation is from 2 to 8 p.m. today, Sunday, at Davis Funeral Home, 211 Street and Cleveland Boulevard in Granite City, 67720, where service time is pending Monday. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the Association for the Protection of Animals.

Steve Jones

Steve Jones, 78, of Fredericktown, Mo., died Friday, June 14, 1996, in

Fredericktown. He was born Sept. 17, 1919, in Hyden, Ky.

Mr. Jones was a member of United Methodist Church in Fredericktown.

Survivors include his wife, Regina (Fox) Jones, whom he married June 14, 1943, in Lexington, Ky.; two sons, Warren Jones of Granite City and Dean Jones of Decatur, Ga.; two daughters, Battle Stacey of Grand Blain, Mich., and Sherrie Gallina of Orlando, Fla.; his mother, Sallie Jones of Fredericktown; four brothers, Johnnie Jones of Hillsboro, Mo., Herbert Jones of St. Louis, Paul Jones of Wappello, Mo., and David Jones of Lady Lake, Fla.; three sisters, Sallie Evers of St. Louis, Ida Noble of Franklin, Ohio, and Myrtle Moske of Fredericktown; and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ballard Jones; one brother, George Jones; and two sisters, Marie and Louise Jones.

Services were June 17 at United Methodist Church in Fredericktown with the Rev. Gary Grey officiating. Burial was in Little Brushy Church Cemetery in Wappello.

Arrangements were handled by Folsom-Sonderman Funeral Home in Fredericktown.

C. Alexander

Charles C. Alexander, 72, of Granite City died at 7:52 a.m. Wednesday, June 19, 1996, at his residence after a long illness. He was born Nov. 4, 1923, in Rolla, Mo.

A repairman with Customer Service, Inc., in St. Louis for 15 years prior to his retirement, Mr. Alexander was a member of the U.S. Navy.

Survivors include his wife, Betty (Omerus) Alexander, whom he married Feb. 2, 1946; two sons, Donald C. Alexander of Fenton, Mo., and Charles Alexander of Mitchell; two daughters, Janet Cowley of Granite City; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William E. Alexander and Margaret (Hayes) Alexander; his stepfather, Percy Paul; one stepbrother, Bill Alexander; and one stepdaughter, Mary Ziegler of Sullivan, Mo., and Gay Gallina of Winfield, Mo.; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday at Kurrus Funeral Home in Belleville with the Rev. James Bryant officiating. Burial was in Mount Carmel Cemetery in Belleville.

Memorials are requested for the House of Southern Illinois Inc.

Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Sunday, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road in Granite City, where service time is pending Monday. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, Maryville Road in Granite City.

M. Rimarchik

Margaret E. (Linhart) Rimarchik, 95, of Phoenix, Ariz., formerly of Granite City, died Thursday, June 20, 1996, at her residence, following a long illness.

Born Dec. 29, 1900, in Zborov, Czechoslovakia, she had been a resident of Granite City for 66 years prior to moving to Phoenix seven months ago. She was preceded in death by her husband, Karl Rimarchik, whom she married Nov. 10, 1920, in Zborov, and who died in 1985; her parents, Joseph and Anna (Wasko) Linhart; and her brothers, Joseph and Stephen Linhart.

Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. today, Sunday, at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road in Granite City, where a wake service will be held at 6:30 p.m. today.

Services are at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, 2300 Pontoon Road in Granite City, with the Rev. Gary Grey officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the Hospice of Madison County.

Judith Brown

Judith Ann (Hubert) Brown, 54, of Granite City died Wednesday, June 19, 1996, at her mother's residence in Collinsville.

A secretary and stockbroker with St. Louis Union Trust, she was a secretary for the Granite City Library.

Mrs. Brown was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1117 and the American Legion Post 1117. She volunteered at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Survivors include her husband, Terry Brown; one son, Robert T. Brown Jr., of Granite City; her mother, Goldie (Webb) Hubert of Granite City; one brother, Robert Hubert of Belleville; and two sisters, her twin, Jeanne Hubert of Belleville, and Candace Turner of Harper, Kan.

She was preceded in death by her father, Robert Hubert. Services were Saturday at Kurrus Funeral Home in Belleville with the Rev. James Bryant officiating. Burial was in Mount Carmel Cemetery in Belleville.

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Tilford Felchlin

Tilford "Til" Felchlin Sr., 75, of Rocky Mount, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died Tuesday, June 18, 1996, in Rocky Mount. He was born April 27, 1921, in Edwardsville and had been a resident of Granite City for 17 years.

A manager and registered pharmacist with Reese Drug Store in Granite City for 25 years prior to his retirement in 1981, he was a member of the Elks Lodge 1068, Knights of Pythias and the American Legion Post 113, all of Granite City.

Mr. Felchlin was a former member of St. John Evangelical United Church in Granite City and a member of the War II United States Army veterans.

Survivors include his wife, Rosetta Felchlin, whom he married Oct. 25, 1939, in St. Charles, Mo.; two sons, Lyle and Bruce Felchlin; and Ronald Felchlin of Manhattan, Ill.

He was preceded in death by his father, Lyle Felchlin.

Services were held Saturday at Kurrus Funeral Home in Belleville with the Rev. James Bryant officiating. Burial was in Mount Carmel Cemetery in Belleville.

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five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Dorothy Mikolajewski, who died in August 1993; and his parents, Joseph and Edna (Kusner) Siebert, who died in 1985.

A memorial service was held Friday at Phillips Funeral Home in Eldon, Mo. His remains were cremated.

Barbara Siebert

Barbara A. (Braden) Siebert, 66, of Granite City died at 10:25 a.m. Tuesday, June 18, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was born May 10, 1937, in Granite City, where she had been a lifelong resident.

A homemaker, she was a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church in Granite City and AMVETS Post 51 Auxiliary in Granite City. She volunteered at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Survivors include her husband, Harold Siebert, whom she married Aug. 30, 1976; one son, Robert Vaughn of Granite City; two daughters, Carrie Raina of Granite City and Jaymie Mueller of Wichita Falls, Texas; one stepson, Steve Siebert of Wood River; one sister, Bobbie Braden of Granite City; seven grandchildren; and adopted grandchildren, four and four.

She was preceded in death by two stepsons; and her parents, Robert and Mary (Henry) Braden.

Memorials are requested for Emmanuel Baptist Church.

Loy Skeen

Loy D. "Mike" Skeen, 69, of Granite City died at 8:45 a.m. Thursday, June 20, 1996, at his residence. He was born Dec. 24, 1926, in St. Louis.

Mr. Skeen was a member of the Illinois-American Water Co. in Granite City for 25 years. He was a member of Laborers Local 387, Hodcarriers Local and the Masonic Lodge. He was a general maintenance man.

Survivors include two nephews, Robert Polite of Granite City and David Polite of Granite City; one nephew, Terry Jensen and Patty Schlemmer, both of Belleville; and one nephew, at great-nephews and great-nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lloyd and Mary Skeen; and one sister, Patty Polite.

No visitation is scheduled. Graveside services will be held at a later date at the National Cemetery in St. Louis County.

Arrangements are being handled by Irwin Chapel in Granite City.

Louise Knufinke

Louise A. (Reiske) Knufinke, 87, of Granite City died at 4:22 a.m. Friday, June 21, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a brief illness. She was born June 11, 1909, in Nameoki Township.

A homemaker, she was a member of St. John United Church of Christ in Granite City.

Survivors include one brother, John W. Reiske of Granite City; and one sister, Rose Reiske of Granite City.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lester George Knufinke, who died April 14, 1995; her parents, John D. and Selma Mary (Wein) Reiske of Granite City; and one sister, Mary K. Volkmann.

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Campaign finance meeting Tuesday

A group formed to research Illinois' wide open system of campaign finance is holding a town hall meeting Tuesday night in Collinsville.

The Illinois Campaign Finance Project has scheduled the meeting for 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the Holiday Inn Collinsville, 1000 Eastport Plaza Drive. Co-sponsors are the Edwardsville, Collinsville and St. Clair County Leagues of Women Voters, the University of Illinois at Springfield and the Suburban Journals.

Services were raised in Metro East races in 1994. The meeting also will offer information on how much money can be raised or spent.

Survivors include her husband, Harold Siebert, whom she married Aug. 30, 1976; one son, Robert Vaughn of Granite City; two daughters, Carrie Raina of Granite City and Jaymie Mueller of Wichita Falls, Texas; one stepson, Steve Siebert of Wood River; one sister, Bobbie Braden of Granite City; seven grandchildren; and adopted grandchildren, four and four.

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Korean War

unit reunion

The 44th Infantry Division Veterans Association (Korean War all units) will be having its Biennial Reunion in Peoria November 1-3.

For information write 44th Infantry Division Veterans Association, 614 South Crea, Decatur, Ill. 62522.

Survivors include her husband, Harold Siebert, whom she married Aug. 30, 1976; one son, Robert Vaughn of Granite City; two daughters, Carrie Raina of Granite City and Jaymie Mueller of Wichita Falls, Texas; one stepson, Steve Siebert of Wood River; one sister, Bobbie Braden of Granite City; seven grandchildren; and adopted grandchildren, four and four.

She was preceded in death by two stepsons; and her parents, Robert and Mary (Henry) Braden.

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Township

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McHenry County, according to Bryan Smith, associate director of Township Officials of Illinois. "People realize that no matter who provides the service, there is a cost," Smith said.

Partney said the Granite City Township budget — at more than \$900,000 — could be drastically cut, providing tax relief to property owners, if services were provided by city and county forces.

"We're losing too many residents and businesses because of high taxes," Partney said. "This is designed to help keep residents and attract new businesses and residents."

The city and township in Granite City are coterminous — the aldermen on the city council serve as trustees on the town board. Partney said township government is duplicative and offers no service that can't be provided by another agency at less cost.

"If we abolish the assessor position, by state law the county must take over assessments," Partney said. "Even if the county charged us \$7.50 per parcel (to assess property) during a quadrennial (every four years), that's peanuts compared to what we're spending now."

He said city government could provide other assessor's office services — filling out circuit breaker and homestead exemptions for property owners.

Assessor Darlene Laub said that township services are not duplicative. "It's not a duplication of services," she said. "If we don't do it, someone else has to do it and they won't do it for free."

"Having someone local to provide services is very important," Laub said.

Partney said he would like to see Nelson "Nellie" Hagmayer Town Hall utilized as both a youth center and a senior citizen hall. He said the city could either hire a program director or contract with the YMCA or another agency to administer programs.

If the referendum were placed on the ballot next April and succeed, Partney said, two elected township officials — supervisor and assessor — would have to be paid for the next four years. But if the referendum is successful in November, he said, the township form of government could be eliminated in 1997.

"If we're going to cut money, let's cut it now," Partney said.

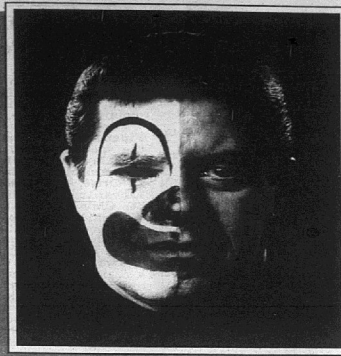
"I think if the public is educated on this, it will pass with flying colors."

State law requires petitions be filed by Aug. 19 to place a referendum on the November ballot, Partney said. He said he intends to file his petitions by Aug. 16.

He said petitions would begin circulating around July 6.

School menus

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Mary Kay Inc. independent senior sales director Lynn Moreland of Granite City has been honored as one of the company's top achievers. In recognition of leadership abilities and sales achievements, the company awarded Moreland the free use of a pink Pontiac Grand Prix LE sedan.

Moreland has been with the company for four years. This is her third car.

There are more than 7,000 sales directors who assist the efforts of other Mary Kay independent beauty consultants by providing training, guidance, leadership and motivation.

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More than 20 million United States consumers purchase approximately 150 million Mary Kay products each year. There are more than 400,000 independent Mary Kay beauty consultants operating their own Mary Kay businesses in 25 countries worldwide.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Royce relocation — Gathered for the opening of Royce Realty in its new location in Central Square off Fehling Road are Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce ambassadors Harvey Cohen and Ed Besserman, Jerry Besserman and John Royce of the real estate office, chamber ambassador Debra Castiglia Choklok, chamber executive vice president R.C. Bush, Kristi Glasgow, Vicki Royce, Garry Henson and Jim Ridings of Royce Realty and chamber ambassador Janet Mills.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

New ownership — Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce ambassador Janet Mills, Donna Souers, Denise Gualdoni, chamber executive vice president R.C. Bush, Dot Waggoner, Lisa Pacheco, Marsha Ryan and chamber ambassador Debra Castiglia Choklok gather for the reopening of Merle Norman Cosmetics under its new ownership.

Management courses set

The Small Business Development Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will offer several short management courses.

Each workshop will meet at University Park, Room 1132, or the Environmental Resources Training Center.

Workshops, dates and fees include:

— Financing a Small Business — June 26, 6:30-8:30 p.m.; fee \$25.

— Small Business Tax Issues — June 25, 6:30-8:30 p.m.; fee \$50.

— Virtual Offices and Alternative Workplaces — sponsored by Microsoft, America at Work Series; June 20, 1-3 p.m.; fee \$20.

Additional information is available calling Jane Baggett at 618-692-2929.

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Prepared Childbirth Classes

This series of four classes provides information about the labor and delivery experience as well as the birthing options available at Memorial Maternity Center. Participants are encouraged to register before the fifth month of pregnancy and

attendance is limited to those delivering at Memorial. There is a \$25 per couple fee. Call 257-5855 for class dates and times.

Childbirth Refresher Class

The Childbirth Refresher Class is designed to give experienced parents updated information about the latest trends in labor, delivery and newborn care. Limited to those who will deliver at Memorial, this class is held from 7 to 9 p.m. on the first Monday of the month. \$5 per couple fee. For more information, call 257-5855.

Prenatal Breastfeeding Class

This class is designed to provide information to those who are considering breastfeeding their baby. The class meets from 7 to 9 p.m. on the second Wednesday of every month. For more information, call 257-5855.

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Cesarean Birth Class

This class will prepare you for the cesarean birth experience. A video presentation and discussion will help you prepare for your planned cesarean section. Held on the fourth Tuesday of every other month from 7 to 9 p.m., there is a \$5 per couple fee. For more information, call 257-5855.

Baby Care and Parenting Classes

This two-session program teaches you how to care for, play with and protect your infant from birth to age 12 months. Topics presented include: newborn care, infant feeding, baby bathing, when to call the doctor, home and toy safety, returning to work, finding a good babysitter and

traveling with baby. Held from 7 to 9 p.m. on the third and fourth Wednesday of every month, this class has a \$5 per couple fee. Call 257-5855 to register.

Sibling Class

Memorial Maternity Center offers a Sibling Class to make it easier for big brother and sisters to prepare for and accept a new baby. This class is designed for children ages 3 through 12 and meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on the first Monday of each month. Limited to children whose sibling will be born at Memorial Maternity Center. \$2 per child fee. Class size is limited and reservations are requested. Call 257-5855.

Grandparents Class

This class acquaints grandparents with recent changes in childbirth and infant care practices. It discusses what it means to be a grandparent in today's world — how grandparents can positively support and influence their children and grandchildren. The class meets from 7 to 9 p.m. on the first Monday of every other month beginning in February. Class size is limited and reservations are requested. To register, call 257-5855.

MOOLAH SHRINE CIRCUS

54th Annual

Kiel Center provides indoor venue for circus

By Kevin Carbery
Staff writer

Go ahead, let it rain. For once, there is no fear of precipitation washing out any performances of the Moolah Shrine Circus. The 54th annual circus is scheduled for June 27 through 30 inside the spacious and enclosed confines of the Kiel Center.

"The main change in this year's circus is the move from Busch Stadium to Kiel," said Ronald Krueger Sr., president of Wehrenberg Theatres and Moolah Shrine publicity chairman. "We'd been at Busch Stadium for 25 years, and it's our first year at Kiel. This will be the largest indoor circus in the country."

The Moolah Shrine Circus was welcome at Busch Stadium while the field was covered with artificial turf, but had to find a new place to put on its shows after real grass was planted over the past year at Busch.

Fortunately, Kiel Center has turned out to be a more than suitable replacement, Krueger said. "It will make the circus a lot more intimate," he said. "You'll be closer to the acts than at Busch and will be able to see them better. And, you won't have to worry about rain outs. You'll be looking up at the high wire. It will make it more thrilling."

One act in particular should look especially

impressive inside Kiel, Krueger said.

"We're repeating something we did 25 years ago when we went to Busch," he said. "Karl Wallenda walked a tightrope across the top of Busch back then. This year, we've got Jay Cochran, who will walk across the top of Kiel."

There will be many other exciting sights to behold at the Moolah Shrine Circus, said Krueger, who has lent his assistance to the show for 30 years.

"We're going to shoot a human cannonball across the Kiel," he said. "We've got two sway pole acts."

"We've got an award-winning act that performed over in Europe called the Crystal Duo. They're a fixed trapeze act. The two of them do various maneuvers from a fixed trapeze."

Another attraction is called "Living Statues." "It's a balancing act that looks like bronze statues and moves in slow motion," Krueger said. "They strike various poses."

Plus, a motorcycle will ride a wire into the rafters at Kiel.

The old circus favorites will also be on hand, Krueger said.

"We've got the lions. We've got the elephants. We've got the clowns."

An old favorite from the circus days at Busch will be modified for Kiel, Krueger said.

"For the finale, we used to have fireworks at Busch Stadium," he said. "We'll have a laser show with indoor pyrotechnics at Kiel."



Thursday, June 27 - 7:30 p.m.

Friday, June 28 - 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 29 - 3:30 & 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, June 30 - 1 & 5 p.m.

Reserved tickets are \$12, \$14 and \$18. General admission tickets are just \$7.50.

Tickets may be purchased at the Kiel Center box office, 14th Street and Clark Avenue, or at the Moolah Shrine office, 12545 Fee Fee Road. Tickets are also available at all TicketNow locations or by calling Dialtix at (314) 291-7600. For information, call (314) 622-KIEL. For disabled access information, call (314) 622-5420.

Shriners Hospital St. Louis unit dedicated to helping children

By Glen Sparks
Staff writer

On this particular morning at the St. Louis unit of the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children, a little girl is struggling in her leg braces to go one little step at a time. Other children at Shriners are exercising damaged arms, hands and backs today.

Actually, it's not much different than most other mornings at the hospital.

This little girl is one of the 1,000 patients who visit the St. Louis Shriners Hospital each month.

The 80-bed unit is part of a network of 22 Shriners hospitals across the United States, Canada and Mexico.

That includes burn units in Boston, Cincinnati and Galveston, Texas, and spinal cord units at the Philadelphia, Chicago and San Francisco hospitals.

The Shrine of North America established its first hospital in 1922 in Shreveport, La.

"This was a way for the Shriners to get together and to improve themselves and to improve the community," says Bob Davidson, community relations director for the St. Louis hospital.

Children go to the Shriners Hospital for a variety of orthopedic problems caused by cerebral palsy, spina bifida, clubfoot, scoliosis, leg length discrepancy and other maladies.

St. Louis Shriners have been helping kids for more than 70 years. They opened a hospital in 1924 in the Downtown area. In 1963, the facility moved to a 15-acre location in West County at 2001 S. Lindbergh Blvd.

"The children can feel safe in this environment, and the parents feel safe here, too," Davidson says.

St. Louis Shriners Hospital treats patients from portions of a nine-state area that includes Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Oklahoma and Tennessee.

Children from infancy to 18 years of age are treated at no cost to the patient, parents or any third party.

"It's totally free," Davidson says.

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Children can go to a Shriners hospital if the treatment there would be beneficial and if the cost of care at another hospital would place a significant financial burden on the child's family.

In most cases, Shriners recommend patients to the hospital. A temple member must also sign a patient's application form.

"If a child needs help, we can find a Shriner who can sign it off," Davidson says. "It's not a problem."

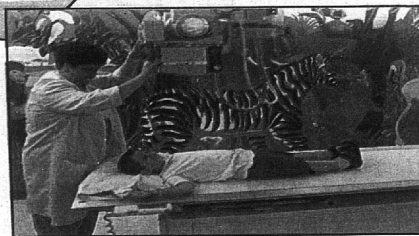
In many of the hospital rooms, colorful murals brighten the walls. There's one of jungle animals, another of outer space, one of Busch Stadium and more.

"Everything we do here is dedicated to making the patient more comfortable," Davidson says.

"Some of these kids have been poked and prodded so often that they're scared to death anytime they see anyone in a white jacket."

Long ago, parents at Shriners Hospitals and most other hospitals did not have much input into their child's care. That's not true anymore. The St. Louis unit even has 22 beds at the hospital for parents who choose to stay with their children during therapy.

"Parents are involved in every step of the way," Davidson says.



Dennis Caldwell photos

Mitzi Crippen, registered radiological technologist, treats Travis Kemper, 5, in front of one of the many colorful murals at the hospital.

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Shriners are key to funding hospitals

By Glen Sparks
Staff writer

Shriners Hospitals are often referred to as "the heart and soul of the Shrine."

Bob Coleman, a Shriner for nearly 50 years, likes to tell a story that demonstrates the strong feelings some people have for the hospitals.

Several years ago, a lady had popped a \$5 bill into Coleman's "charity" can at a fund-raising event for the hospitals. Coleman smiled and said, "Thank you."

The woman's son had been treated years ago at a Shriners Hospital, she explained. He's just fine, she added.

Great, Coleman said. How old is he today? Sixty, the lady said.

The Shriners rely on this type of generosity to fund 22 hospitals in North America.

All the care and services are free to the patients, parents or any third party.

No insurance money or government assistance is accepted by any of the hospitals.

"We're not even not-for-profit," says Bob Davidson, community relations director for the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children in St. Louis, 2001 S. Lindbergh Blvd. "We're a pure charity."

Since the founding of the first Shriners Hospital in 1922 in Shreveport, La., more than \$2.5 billion has been spent to provide medical care to about a half million children suffering from orthopedic problems and burn injuries.

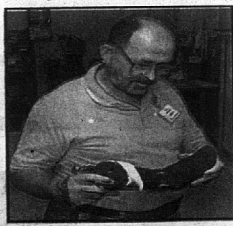
The Shriners Hospitals nationwide must meet a budget that in 1996 is estimated to be \$419 million.

Most of the money to support the hospitals comes from the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children endowment fund.


The Shrine of North America, which includes 610,000 members and 191 temples, supports the hospitals.

The biggest fund-raiser each year is the Shrine Circus. Shriners help put together the event that this year will be June 27-30 at the Kiel Center.

"This is our most important event," says Ron Krueger, the head of Wehrenberg Theatres and a longtime Shriner.



Mike Foerster works on an orthotic brace at the hospital. During 1995, certified staff members manufactured 6,108 braces and 325 prostheses for St. Louis patients.





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9 at Edwardsville.....	8 p m
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11 at Alton.....	8 p m
13 at Troy.....	7 p m
14 Crestwood City.....	7:30 p m
15 Waterloo.....	8 p m
TRI-CITY POST 113	
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26 Nashville.....	7:30 p m
27 at Waterloo.....	7:30 p m
28 at Troy.....	8:30 p m
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8 at Fairview Heights.....	7:30 p m
9 at Alton.....	7:30 p m
10 Troy.....	7:30 p m
11 at Highland.....	6 p m
12 at O'Fallon.....	8 p m
13 at Collinsville.....	7 p m
14 Smithton.....	6 p m

Women's Standings				
Team	W-L-T	Pts	Goals Scored	Goals Allowed
Spurs	2-0-0	16	4	0
Hurricanes	1-1-0	11	5	3
United	1-1-0	10	4	3
Darts	1-1-0	9	5	4
Lancers	1-1-0	9	4	4
Flyers	0-2-0	2	2	2

Leading Scorers		
Player, Team	G	A Pts
Lynn Lett, Spurs	2	0 2
Joselyne Rector, Hurricanes	2	0 2
Jennifer Hackett, Darts	2	0 2
Jen Ziegler, Lancers	2	0 2
Kathy Fischer, United	1	1 1
Elizabeth Enoch, Hurricanes	1	1 1

Granite City Clippers player/manager Daren DePew pulls into third base during last weekend's Mon-Clair League doubleheader at O'Fallon.

Fishing report

COLLINSVILLE POST 365

10 Belleville..... 6 p.m.
11 at Fairview Heights (DH).....
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16 at Smithton..... 6 p.m.

O'FALLON POST 137

9	at Alton.....	7:30	p.m.
10	Troy.....	7:30	p.m.
11	at Highland.....	6	p.m.
12	at O'Fallon.....	8	p.m.
13	at Collinsville.....	7:45	p.m.
14	Smithton.....	6	p.m.

•Triplets—

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pet pitches a two-hitter and we lost 2-1 (to East St. Louis)," Winfield said. "We had a couple kids swing the bats pretty well, especially (Relle) and (Briggs). But you can't win ballgames scoring one run. You're not going to win very often, anyway."

And it's not like Tri-City isn't trying to manufacture runs. Several times Wednesday, the Triplets bunted and tried to move runners over.

"We're trying to do some different things," Winfield said. "We've got to do something to make a difference, and generate something."

Post 113 scored its lone run in the fourth inning, when Briggs singled, stole second, moved to third on a groundout and scored on a wild pitch by Bethalto starter Nick Smith.

The Triplets actually chased Smith in the inning, but Steve Moore moved in from right field and put out the fire.

Winfield said he hoped a weekend together could turn his team into a closer unit.

"I hope so," he said. "I hope we can get out of town some time together, and hopefully that will turn things around, because we've gotten off to a very slow start, there's no doubt about it."

"Our pitching has been pretty good, really. They (Bethalto) wind up with eight runs, but they get six in one inning, and they really didn't deserve to get six."

After the Triplets return to town, they will travel to Cahokia on Tuesday.



Tri-City's Dustin Brewer delivers a pitch during Wednesday's game.

•Clippers— •Baseball— •Southern

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Moehrs believes the teams that compete at Valmeyer don't get enough out of the tournament to constitute the high entry fees.

The fact is, the teams in the tournament must find their own way to Borsch Park for the two-day tourney, and that can be expensive. The teams apparently get none of the money that is raised during the July 4 holiday tourney.

Team members are away from their families during one of the busiest holiday weekends of the year, and the teams normally must play in hot, humid conditions. The teams get their trophies, and that's about it.

But as far as the Prairie State Games, the Clippers and Buds will each be there, looking forward to another face-to-face meeting for the gold medal.

"We're looking forward to it," DePew said.

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I know we sure enjoyed getting those gold medals.

DePew said for Granite City (10-1 in league play) to duplicate last year's performance, it will have to keep hitting and get strong pitching.

"That's baseball, scoring runs and pitching," DePew said. "This season, we've been swinging the bats well, and our pitching and defense are solid. But it's our pitching that will have to hold up for us."

While Waterloo (9-1) has a dangerous offensive club, Moehrs said he also has a very good pitching staff.

"We're going into the Prairie State Games this year with more solid pitching than in the past," Moehrs said.

Depending on the team the Buds face, Moehrs will open with left-hander Brian Smith or right-hander Chris Hargan.

"If it is a team full of left-handed hitters, I'll start Brian," Moehrs said. "If there are a lot of right-handers, I'll go with Hargan."

DePew, meanwhile, expects another strong showing by the Mon-Chair League.

"I can't guarantee it, but I hope it's us and Waterloo," DePew said. "We're excited about playing. It is such a nice atmosphere—the people there before we haven't played before and the nice park. The games are something we really look forward to."

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balanced team," Seim said. "We should be very strong up top and quick. We have big, strong players in the back. I think they are all unselfish players."

Midfielders include McMillan and Hickman, Spector and Mibb, Mike Rogan of Columbia, Matt Winkler of Belleville, Matt Mader of Alton and Sam Meyers of Troy.

It was Rogan, a junior at Gibault High, who netted two goals and the winner with 4:06 remaining last year to lead the Southern team to a 3-2 victory over North Shore.

Defenders include Embick, Wilkerson, Bernaix, Hartleb and Tom Hofeditz of Edwardsville. The goalkeepers are Matt Klasanier (Alton) and Donny Sheehan (O'Fallon).

Klasanier teamed with Brian Stark of Edwardsville last year to lead Southern to the gold medal.

The Prairie State Games will be held Friday through Sunday, with most of the action taking place at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Games will also be played in at Belleville Area College and in surrounding communities.

Open women's kickers shooting for gold again

By Rob Raphael Staff writer

Southern Region open women's soccer coach Gene Briggs is excited about the mix of players he has at his disposal for the 13th Annual Prairie State Games this week.

Briggs and the open women's team will be defending the gold medal when they begin opening-round action Friday at the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville soccer fields.

About half of last year's team returns, with several young, newer faces added to the mix.

New faces can add difficulty to putting a team together in just a few weeks, but most of the players have something in common.

"There's differences between the girls, but they all have a common bond, too," Briggs said. "They all have played at state level, and they're all knowledgeable and smart. They've all learned how to play basically the same brand of soccer, and many of them I've coached before or (assistant coach) Harry Bickford has coached. So we feel very comfortable with this group."

That's bad news for the other open women's teams. Last year, Southern toyed with its competition, putting North Shore away 5-0 in the finals.

Of course, one never knows what the competition will be like, so the team is taking a cautious approach to the games.

"We're optimistic, and we think we have a good group," Briggs said. "But there's never a chance to see the other teams, or scout them. The important thing is to concentrate on what we're supposed to do. You can make adjustments, but you have to go out and play."

Also assisting Briggs will be Amy Bickford—Harry's daughter—a native of Collinsville who recently graduated from SIUE. Amy Bickford cannot play this year, as she's helped out on the coaching end of things.

Not surprisingly, the 20-member roster is full of players from Collinsville and Granite City.

Leading the list of Granite City natives is keeper Stephanie Kult, who just completed her junior year at SIUE. Other Granite City players are midfielders Julie Dempsey (Lindenwood College graduate) and Suzanne Stuart (SIUE), and fullbacks Jennifer Spingard (Missouri-Rolla) and Kelly Thomas (Missouri-Rolla).

Alternates Jill Haddix and Kelley Williamson are also from Granite City.

Collinsville natives on the roster are forwards Heather Jalinsky (Eastern Illinois) and Jamie Casillas (Lindenwood), midfielders Caryn Chasteen (Lindenwood) and Kelly Bruns (SIUE) and backs Kelli Black (William Woods), Mary Fat Leach (SIUE), Jennifer Hill (St. Louis U.) and Jackie Herron (Lindenwood).

Also competing will be Camie and Carrie Bechtold, twin seniors from Alton and Quincy University, and Joan Wacker, a graduate of Aquinas-Mercy who attends SIUE.

Also back for the second time is Lynda Bowers, an excellent player from Anchorage, Alaska, who attends SIUE.

Briggs is thrilled with the talent he sees, plus the enthusiasm on the field.

"The atmosphere at practice has been good, and we're getting a lot of work in," he said. "We have physical prowess, good ball control, tactical awareness, along with good play."

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Centennial horseshoe tourney
The Granite City Centennial Committee will conduct a horseshoe tournament at the Wilson Park horseshoe pits on Saturday, June 29. There is a \$10 per-person entry fee for the two-person teams. The tournament will consist of a double-elimination format with a 12 noon drawing for teams, and a 1 p.m. start.

Prize money and trophies will be awarded for first, second and third places. For more information, call Ron Motil at 931-6290 or Mike Williams at 877-0271.

Baker soccer clinic
Granite City High School soccer coach Gene Baker has announced the times and dates of his annual summer soccer clinic, which will be conducted differently than in past years. The Granite City Soccer Dream Battery will be held July 29-30 at the Granite City Elks Soccer Fields, located on the campus of Belleville Area

College in Granite City
The battery is open to boys and girls ages 11-18, and the cost is \$15. Each contestant will receive a quality Lotto game ball. Boys will compete between 9-11:30 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday, while the girls will go from 1-3:30 p.m. both days. Baker will be assisted by other members of the GCHS staff, and other area coaches are expected to join the clinic, which will include a variety of individual skill instructions.

A statistical analysis for each participant will be made by coaches and mailed to the participant's home. Soccer equipment prizes will also be awarded during the tests. For more information, call Baker at (314) 355-2374.

Slobo soccer camp
One of the St. Louis area's most popular soccer personalities, Slobo Ilijevski, will once again hold a soccer camp in Granite City this summer. This year's camp will run from noon-2 p.m. Aug. 12-16 at Wor-

then Park in Granite City.

The camp, for boys and girls ages 5-18, offers instruction for both field players and goalkeepers. The fee is \$55 with a camp soccer ball, or \$50 without the ball. All campers will receive T-shirts, photos and more. For more information, call (314) 227-3036.

Elks U-10 boys
The Granite City Elks under-10 boys soccer team will hold open tryouts for the 1996-97 competitive season in August. The tryouts, for players born between Aug. 1, 1986 and July 31, 1987, will be held at 6 p.m. Aug. 19 at the Belleville Area College campus in Granite City.

All candidates must arrive at least 15 minutes before the starting time, wearing shin guards. Players must bring a No. 4 inflated soccer ball, drinking water and a copy of their birth certificate. For more information or pre-registration, call 931-4553.

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speed and size."

The main reason several women could not return to the squad was because of the timing of this year's games, which were moved up because of the Olympic Games in July.

"Some had already made their vacation plans, and others simply didn't know until it was too late," Briggs said. "I hope we go back to July next year. Either way, it'll be hot."

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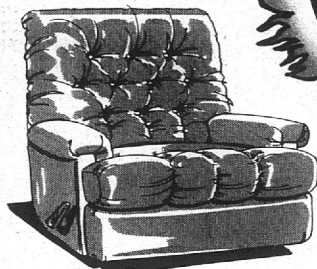
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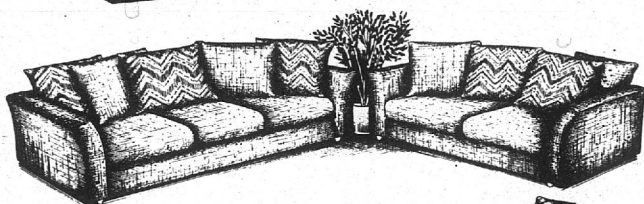
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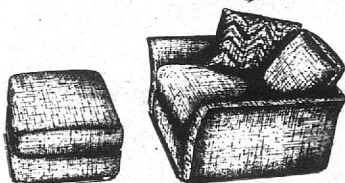
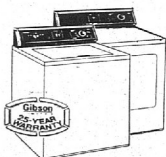


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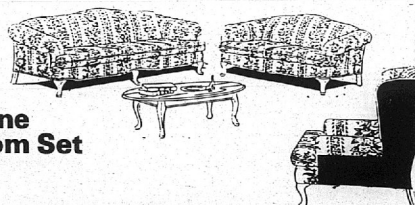
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Card club visits Olive Garden

The May meeting of the Butterfly Card Club was held at the home of Irene Willis following lunch at the Olive Garden in Fairview Heights.

The hostess served dessert from a table decorated with fresh flowers and, at each place setting, a magnetic shopping list pad.

Pinocchio was played and prizes were awarded to Juanita Rosenberg, Harriet Hoff, Mary Lou Claussen and Edith Ryan. Willis won the honor prize.

Also present were Neil Talley, Catherine Hommert and Loraine McIlvoy.

The June meeting will be hosted by McIlvoy.

Marriage licenses

The following marriage licenses have been issued through the office of Debbie Saltich, Madison County Clerk.

Carl Willard Anderson and Theresa Ann Pulley, both of Granite City.

Kurt Allen Atkinson of Granite City and Mandy Ann Hensley of Alton.

Michael Thomas Bachmann and Dawn Marie Benthall, both of Granite City.

Charles Edward Dailey and Angela Marie Grady, both of Granite City.

Tony Dwayne Elliott and Donna Kay Jeremiahs, both of Granite City.

Joseph Lee and Sherri Lynn Pickett, both of Granite City.

Scott Douglas Marshall of Collinsville and Tina Marie Cochran of Madison.

Robert H. Meyer of Duncan, IL, and Cynthia Dunn, both of Granite City.

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Ernest Gerald Walker Jr. and Laura Elizabeth Baggett, both of Granite City.

Wayne A. Wasson and Christy Carpenter, both of Granite City.

Movie schedules

Film timetable for Sunday, June 23. For times on other days or to confirm these times, check local theaters.

ALTON CINE

2640 Clair St. 462-1131
Twister (PG-13) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
Eraser (R) 2:15, 4:45, 7:20, 9:50
4225 S. Kingshighway, 352-2424
Toy Story (G) 3:00
Muppet Treasure Island (G) 4:45
The Birdcage (R) 7:00
The Great White Hope (R) 9:15

CHESTERFIELD

585 Chestnut St. 822-0155
The Phantom (PG) 12:30, 2:45, 5:00
Dragonheart (PG-13) 7:20, 9:40
Twister (PG-13) 11:45, 2:10, 4:30, 7:15, 9:50
Eraser (R) 12:00, 2:30, 5:15, 8:00, 10:20
Twister (PG-13) 1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:20

CLARKSON 6 CINE

1785 Clarkson Road, 822-4900
Twister (PG-13) 12:30, 2:45, 5:00
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 1:10, 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 9:30
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 1:20, 2:10, 4:30, 7:20, 10:10
Dragonheart (PG-13) 12:00, 2:30, 4:50, 7:15, 9:45
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:10, 2:20, 4:40, 7:10, 9:40
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:40, 2:50, 5:10, 7:40, 9:50

CARMIKE PETITE

1701 N. Main St., Collinsville, 344-1708
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:15, 3:45, 7:15, 9:45
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 7:10, 9:10
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 1:30, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15

CRESTWOOD PLAZA 10

248 Crestwood Plaza, 988-8500
Eddie (PG-13) 10:45, 1:05, 3:20, 5:40, 8:00, 10:20
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 10:30, 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 11:00, 1:10, 4:15, 5:30, 7:45, 10:00
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 11:30, 1:40, 3:45, 6:00, 8:15
The Rock (R) 10:50, 1:50, 3:55, 6:25, 8:55
The Rock (R) 1:15, 4:30, 7:25, 10:15
Eraser (R) 11:20, 2:50, 5:45, 8:20
Eraser (R) 1:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:50
Eraser (R) 1:30, 5:10, 7:40
The Arrival (PG-13) 11:15, 1:45, 5:15, 7:50, 10:00

CREVE COEUR CINE

10570 Old Olive Street Road, 822-4900
Twister (PG-13) 12:45, 4:45, 7:30, 9:45
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:10, 9:10

CROSS KEYS CINE

110 Cross Keys Shopping Center
Lindbergh & New Halls Ferry, 921-8999
Toy Story (G) 1:00, 3:00, 5:00
Up Close And Personal (PG-13) 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20
Mrs. Winterbottom (PG-13) 8:05
Muppet Treasure Island (G) 1:00, 2:50, 4:45
The Birdcage (R) 6:50
The Great White Hope (R) 9:10

DES PERES 14 CINE

10001 Des Peres Rd., 822-4900
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 10:30, 12:15, 2:35, 4:45, 7:00, 9:15
The Rock (R) 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00
The Rock (R) 1:00, 4:30, 8:10
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 11:30, 1:45, 4:15, 6:45, 9:15
Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:00, 2:15, 4:45, 7:15, 9:45
Moll Flanders (PG-13) 11:55, 2:40, 5:15, 7:50, 10:30
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 11:50, 2:30, 5:00, 8:00, 10:30
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 8:00, 10:15
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 1:30, 4:20, 7:15, 9:30
Eraser (R) 11:40, 2:10, 4:30, 7:15, 9:45
Eraser (R) 1:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15
Twister (PG-13) 12:00, 4:15, 7:30, 10:05
The Phantom (PG-13) 12:15, 2:25, 4:35
Eddie (PG-13) 8:50, 9:20
Dragonheart (PG-13) 1:10, 4:05, 6:40, 9:15

EASTGATE CINE

Eastgate Plaza, E. Allen, 254-5289
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 1:15, 4:30, 7:45, 9:15
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 2:30, 5:15, 7:30, 9:50
The Rock (R) 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:50
Dragonheart (PG-13) 1:15, 4:45, 7:45, 10:00
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 2:00, 4:15, 6:30, 8:40

COTTONWOOD EDWARDSVILLE CINEMA

Edwardsville, Ill.
Twister (PG-13) 1:15, 4:40, 7:15, 9:50
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:45, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:00, 2:15, 4:30, 6:45, 9:00

ESQUIRE CINE

6708 Clayton Road, 781-3200
The Cable Guy (PG-13)
The Cable Guy (PG-13)
Eraser (R)
Twister (PG-13)
The Rock (R)
The Rock (R)
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EUREKA 5 CINE

88 Hilltop Village Center, 822-4900
The Phantom (PG) 1:15, 3:25, 5:25
Dragonheart (PG-13) 7:40, 9:55
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:35, 9:45
Twister (PG-13) 12:50, 3:15, 5:35, 7:55, 10:15
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:55, 3:15, 5:40, 7:50, 10:00
The Rock (R) 1:25, 4:30, 7:15, 10:05
Eraser (R) 1:45, 5:30, 7:20, 10:10

GALLERIA 6

30 S. Louis Galleria, 721-8722
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G)
The Cable Guy (PG-13)
James And The Giant Peach (PG)
The Craft (R)
Moll Flanders (PG-13)
The Truth About Cats And Dogs (PG-13)
Dragonheart (PG-13) Check theater for times

HALLS FERRY 14 CINE

2600 Target Drive, 822-4900
Eraser (R) 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
Eraser (R) 12:45, 3:15, 5:30, 8:15
Eraser (R) 1:15, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:25, 5:05, 7:40, 10:20
Eddie (PG-13) 12:40, 3:05, 5:25, 7:45, 9:55
Twister (PG-13) 12:15, 2:40, 5:10, 7:35, 10:10
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:20, 2:40, 4:40, 7:10, 9:35
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 1:20, 3:25, 5:40, 8:10, 10:30
The Rock (R) 12:05, 3:00, 6:00, 9:00
The Rock (R) 1:30, 4:30, 7:20, 10:15
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:10, 2:25, 4:45, 7:15, 9:25
Dragonheart (PG-13) 1:10, 4:35, 7:05, 9:20
The Phantom (PG) 1:45, 5:20, 7:55, 10:25
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 1:10, 3:30, 5:45, 8:00, 10:05

KELLER PLAZA 5 CINE

Lester Ferry Mall, 822-4900
Eraser (R) 12:10, 2:40, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15
Eraser (R) 1:15, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15
The Rock (R) 11:00, 1:45, 4:25, 7:20, 10:00
The Rock (R) 11:45, 2:30, 5:40, 8:40
Eddie (PG-13) 12:45, 3:00, 5:00, 7:30, 9:30
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 11:00, 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:35, 9:45
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:00, 2:25, 4:45, 7:15, 9:25
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:30, 2:55, 4:50, 7:00, 9:10

KENRICK 8 CINE

7608 Watson Road, 822-4900
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 8:00, 10:15
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 1:30, 4:30, 7:00, 9:15
The Phantom (PG-13) 11:50, 2:15, 4:45, 7:40, 10:00
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 11:45, 2:15, 5:10, 7:50, 10:20
Dragonheart (PG-13) 12:10, 2:25, 5:00, 7:30, 9:50
Spy Hard (PG-13) 12:15, 2:20, 4:25, 7:15, 9:10
Moll Flanders (PG-13) 1:30, 4:05, 7:00, 9:30
Twister (PG-13) 1:45, 4:40, 7:20, 9:55

KINGSLAND

6601 Graville, 822-2626
Check theater for shows and times

KIRKWOOD CINEMA

335 S. Kirkwood Road, 965-1181
James And The Giant Peach (G) 2:30
Mighty Aphrodite (R) 6:00
Twister (PG-13) 12:40, 2:40, 4:40, 6:40, 8:40, 10:40
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 1:15, 4:45, 7:10, 9:35
Haley Gilmore (PG-13) 1:30, 4:40, 7:50, 9:30
Muppet Treasure Island (G) 1:00, 3:05, 5:10, 7:15, 9:20
Executive Decision (R) 1:25, 4:35, 7:45, 9:55
Toy Story (G) 1:05, 3:00, 5:00, 7:05, 9:25
The Birdcage (R) 1:35, 4:50, 7:25, 9:50
Up Close And Personal (PG-13) 1:10, 4:45, 7:30, 10:00

LINCOLN THEATER

103 E. Main (Belleville), 233-0123
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LINDBERGH 8

7545 Lindbergh, 487-0017
Mr. Holland's Opus (PG) 1:20, 4:30, 7:40, 10:10
The Quest (PG-13) 1:15, 4:45, 7:10, 9:35
Haley Gilmore (PG-13) 1:30, 4:40, 7:50, 9:30
Muppet Treasure Island (G) 1:00, 3:05, 5:10, 7:15, 9:20
Executive Decision (R) 1:25, 4:35, 7:45, 9:55
Toy Story (G) 1:05, 3:00, 5:00, 7:05, 9:25
The Birdcage (R) 1:35, 4:50, 7:25, 9:50
Up Close And Personal (PG-13) 1:10, 4:45, 7:30, 10:00

MID RIVERS MALL

1225 Mid Rivers Dr., 278-2779
The Rock (R) 1:00, 4:15, 7:15, 10:10
Twister (PG-13) 12:30, 3:00, 5:30, 7:50, 10:20
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:00, 2:30, 4:45, 7:00, 9:15
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:15, 4:30, 7:10, 9:30
Eraser (R) 12:15, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:45, 2:50, 5:00, 7:30, 9:45

NAMEOKI CINEMA

30 Nameoki Village, 877-8630
The Phantom (PG) 2:00, 4:15, 7:00, 9:15
Eddie (PG-13) 2:15, 4:30, 7:15, 9:30

NORTH TWIN DRIVE-IN

8428 Lewis and Clark, 887-8600
The Rock (R) 8:45
Twister (PG-13) 11:10
Eraser (R) 8:50
Twister (PG-13) 10:50

NORTHWEST PLAZA 9

Northwest Plaza Mall, 822-4900
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 10:30, 12:45, 3:00, 5:15, 7:30, 9:40
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 11:30, 1:45, 4:15, 7:00, 9:15
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 11:45, 2:15, 5:05, 7:45, 10:05
The Rock (R) 12:20, 4:05, 7:05, 9:55
The Rock (R) 1:20, 4:45, 7:40
Eddie (PG-13) 12:15, 2:40, 5:10, 7:20, 9:35
The Phantom (PG) 12:05, 2:20, 4:35, 7:10, 9:30
Eraser (R) 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:45, 10:10
Eraser (R) 1:00, 4:30, 7:15, 9:45

NORTHWEST SQUARE 10

11150 Old St. Charles Road, 291-0685
Twister (PG-13)
Twister (PG-13)
Spy Hard (PG-13)

PLAZA CINE 4

Troy, Mo., 528-2070
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 2:15, 4:30, 7:15, 9:15
The Rock (R) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:15
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 2:15, 4:30, 7:15, 9:15
Eraser (R) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:15

QUAD CINEMA

The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:00, 2:15, 4:30, 6:45, 8:00
Twister (PG-13) 2:00, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
Eraser (R) 1:30, 4:15, 7:15, 9:45
The Rock (R) 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:50

REGENCY SQUARE 8

1089 Regency Parkway, 848-8000
Flipper (G)
Eddie (PG-13)
Eraser (R)
The Arrival (PG-13)
Primal Fear (R)
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G)
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G)
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RITZ THEATER

403 E. Main St., Belleville, 233-3536
The Truth About Cats And Dogs (PG-13)
Up Close And Personal (PG-13)
Twister (PG-13) 2:00, 4:15, 6:45, 9:00

RONNIE'S 8 CINE

Lindbergh & Baptist Church Road, 822-4900
The Phantom (PG) 11:40, 2:00, 4:20, 7:10, 9:30
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 11:40, 2:10, 4:50, 7:20, 9:40
Twister (PG-13) 11:30, 1:50, 4:10, 7:00
Twister (PG-13) 12:10, 2:30, 5:10, 7:50
Spy Hard (PG-13) 12:30, 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 9:40
Dragonheart (PG-13) 11:50, 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 9:40
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:00, 2:20, 5:00, 7:40, 10:00
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:40, 3:00, 5:20, 7:40, 10:00

ROXANA CINE THEATER

Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:45, 4:15, 7:00, 9:45

ST. ANDREWS CINEMA

2025 Bellvue, 822-1133
Toy Story (G) 1:00, 3:00
Muppet Treasure Island (G) 2:45
The Birdcage (R) 7:00
The Quest (PG-13) 9:20

ST. CHARLES 10 CINE

Hwy. 94 at Prairie Road, 822-4900
The Rock (R) 1:15, 4:30, 7:20, 10:15
The Rock (R) 1:15, 4:30, 7:20, 10:15
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:00, 2:10, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:45, 3:05, 5:25, 7:45, 10:05
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
Twister (PG-13) 1:30, 4:45, 7:15, 9:45
Moll Flanders (PG-13) 1:20, 4:25, 7:25, 10:00
The Phantom (PG) 12:30, 2:50, 5:10, 7:35, 9:50
Dragonheart (PG-13) 12:05, 2:25, 4:40, 7:10, 9:40
Spy Hard (PG-13) 12:10, 2:15, 4:50, 7:05, 9:10

ST. CLAIR 10

50 Ludwig Drive, 388-8383
Twister (PG-13) 1:10, 3:15, 5:25, 7:35, 9:45
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 10:30, 12:35, 2:40, 4:45, 7:00, 9:10
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 11:45, 2:15, 4:45, 7:15, 9:50
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:00, 2:10, 4:25, 7:10, 9:30
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 12:45, 2:55, 5:05, 7:30, 9:45
The Rock (R) 8:15
The Rock (R) 1:05, 4:05, 7:00, 10:00
Eraser (R) 11:55, 2:15, 4:40, 7:20, 9:40
Eraser (R) 12:30, 2:55, 5:15, 8:00, 10:20
The Phantom (PG) 11:45, 2:00, 4:15
Dragonheart (PG-13) 7:35, 9:55

SHADY OAK CINE

Forsyth and Hanley Road, 727-2319
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 1:45, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00

UNION STATION 10

Power House Place at Union Station, 822-4900
The Phantom (PG) 10:10, 12:30, 2:40, 5:00, 7:30, 9:45
Eraser (R) 10:15, 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
Eraser (R) 12:00, 2:15, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
The Cable Guy (PG-13) 10:30, 12:20, 2:40, 4:40, 7:05, 9:25
Mission Impossible (PG-13) 12:00, 2:15, 4:30, 7:20, 9:45
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 10:15, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00
The Rock (R) 10:30, 2:00, 4:45, 7:45
Eddie (PG-13) 10:30, 1:40, 4:40, 7:40, 8:50
Twister (PG-13) 12:00, 2:20, 4:45, 7:15, 9:40
Dragonheart (PG-13) 10:45, 1:05, 3:10, 5:20, 7:35, 9:45
VILLAGE SQUARE
100 Village Square Shopping Center, 898-1080
Check theater for shows and times

WESTPORT

910 Westport Plaza, 822-4900
The Arrival (PG-13) 1:00, 4:50, 7:15, 9:40
Flipper (G) 1:30, 5:00
Primal Fear (R) 7:00, 9:40

St. Clair County Fair

1996 SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL EVENTS

ARENA

Monday, June 24
7:00 P.M. Motorcycle
New Cross

Tuesday, June 25
7:00 P.M. Midjet
Auto Races

Wednesday, June 26
7:00 P.M. Dwarf Cart/Go Carts/
Winged Last Model Stunts

Thursday, June 27
7:00 P.M. Motorcycle
Flat Track Races

Friday, June 28
7:00 P.M. Stock Races,
Bud 100 Lap Feature

Saturday, June 29
7:00 P.M.
Demolition Derby

FREE STAGE ENTERTAINMENT IN OUR AIR CONDITIONED EXPOSITION HALL

5:00 P.M. Monday, June 24
7:00 P.M. Tuesday, June 25
7:00 P.M. Wednesday, June 26
7:00 P.M. Thursday, June 27
7:00 P.M. Friday, June 28
7:00 P.M. Saturday, June 29

Gene and Band
4-H Public Speaking Competition
Youth Talent Contest, Jr. Division
Peppy Squares on Parade
Youth Talent Contest, Sr. Division
To Be Announced
Ainad Shirmen's Brass Band
Adult Talent Contest

• Live Bands every night 8 P.M. Beer Garden
• Wild Animal Show - 3 Shows per day
• Farm Animals - Mon-Thur
• Pony rides every day
• Wheel Band Specials
• Tue & Thur. 5:00-10:30 P.M. *99, Sat. 1-5 P.M. *99
• Wed. 2 for 1 ride specials

Belle-Clair Fairgrounds

Rt. 13 (Just off Rt. 159 & 13) Belleville, IL
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